Case Study 3

Monolith to Microservices Migration

Scenario

"A fintech client had a monolithic application managing payments and user accounts. Any outage or code update risked taking down the entire system."

- ► Hard to scale specific features.
- ► Slow release cycles.
- Risk of whole-app outages.

Challenges

- ightharpoonup Single point of failure \rightarrow If one service failed, entire system went down.
- ► Inflexibility → Couldn't scale payment service separately from others.
- ightharpoonup Risk in deployment ightharpoonup Updates caused downtime or rollbacks.

Proposed Solution

"We advised a phased microservices migration strategy to ensure stability and faster delivery."

- ▶ Broke monolith into modular microservices (e.g., payments, accounts, notifications).
- ▶ Shifted one service at a time with database backups + rollback plan.
- ▶ Adopted CI/CD pipeline to enable continuous delivery with safety.

Expected Business Outcomes

- ► Resilience → Failure in one service no longer takes down whole app.
- ► Agility → Faster, safer releases with CI/CD.
- Scalability → Scale high-demand services independently (e.g., payments).
- ► Smooth transition → Minimal disruption to end users.